ATTY. DOCKET NO: M2115-3

HE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, D.C. 20231 PĂTENT APPLICATION

Sir;

37 CFR 1.53(b) UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Inventor(s): Hideo KATOH

Title: SMALL-SIZED HINGE DEVICE

Enclosed are:

TO

[X]	Specification (	12	_ pages), including Abstract and _	11	_ claims (after 1st & 2nd Preliminary Amendment
-----	-----------------	----	------------------------------------	----	---

7 sheets of drawing containing \_\_\_\_7 Figures. [X]

[X] Declaration/Power of Attorney

This application is filed pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(b). The Declaration will be filed pursuant to 37 CFR §1.63. [ ]

Assignment and PTO-1595 Cover Sheet [X]

A Verified Statement to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR 1 9 and 37 CFR 1 27 [ ]

IDS and Form PTO-1449 with one reference. [X]

First Preliminary Amendment Under MPEP 506 to reduce filing fees.

Second Preliminary Amendment.

Certified copy of Priority Document(s) for 35 USC 119 priority claim: <u>JAPAN 2000-179017 filed June 14, 2000</u>

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(C0I.2)
FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA *
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	11 - 20 =	*
INDEP CLAIMS	3 - 3 =	*
14.5.3	PENDENT CLAIM	

<sup>\*</sup> If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2

X ] ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION FEE

SMAL	1	ITI	Tν

RATE	FEE		
	\$ 355		
X 9=	\$		
X 40 =	\$		
+ 135 = + 65 = + 40 =	\$ \$ \$ 40		
TOTAL	\$ 395		

## OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

OR OR <u>OR</u> OR OR

<u>OR</u>

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO. EL 511078490 US

MAIL DATE

largaret Goldstein

RATE	FEE
	\$ 710
X 18 =	\$
X 80 =	\$
+ 270 = + 130 = + 40 =	\$ \$ \$
TOTAL	\$

1 7	he filina '	fee will be	paid with	our Respon	ise to Missin	g Parts	of Application.
-----	-------------	-------------	-----------	------------	---------------	---------	-----------------

[ ] Please charge my Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

[X] A check in the amount of \$395 to cover the filing fee and assignment recordation fee is enclosed

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4550:

[X] Any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

Dated:

W:\USERS\INGA\WPDATA\M2115-3.NPT

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew F Young, Reg No 44,001 MORRISON LAW FIRM

145 North Fifth Avenue Mt Vernon, New York 10550

(914) 667-6755